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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
STATESVILLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA )

vs. )

HOWARD LYNN STARNES )  
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DOCKET NO. 5:01CR1-V


ORDER TO DESTROY EVIDENCE

THIS MATTER is before the Court upon the Government's motion for destruction of evidence in the above-captioned case.

For the reasons stated in the Government's motion and for good cause shown, the Court finds that the firearms, specifically a Stevens Model 311, Savage Arms Corporation, Double Barrel, 12-gauge shotgun, as well as two Remington Peters 12-gauge shot shells and 10 Remington high velocity 20-gauge shot shells now in the possession of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives should be destroyed in accordance with the usual procedure for the destruction of such evidence.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the Government's motion to destroy evidence is hereby GRANTED.

This the 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2005.

  
RICHARD L. VOORHEES  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT